

REPORTS FIGHT HAS COMMENCED

Dutch War Vessels Alleged To Be Witnessing The Contest Of The Century.

FRENCH CRUISERS ARE ON ALERT

Will See That Neither Russians Nor Japs Infringe On The Rights Of Neutral Waters During Battle?

[SPECIAL BY SCRIPTS-M'RAE.] Amsterdam, April 12.—The Handelsblad has received a dispatch from Batavia, Java, which says a fight is in progress between the Japanese and the Russian vessels near Anambas islands. The details are lacking and there is no confirmation of the reported fight. The battle may be an attack by destroyers on the stragglers. Five Dutch war vessels are reported as watching the battle.

To Keep Neutral. Saigon, April 12.—The French cruiser Descartes and five torpedo boats are keeping a watch near Cape St. Jacques. It is stated the gunboats Achéron and Styx will leave Saigon to protect the neutrality of French waters. The Japanese warships are cruising along the coast of Cochinchina, to prevent the Russians from provisioning or securing coal.

Not Divided. London, April 12.—A dispatch to Lloyd's from Singapore sets at rest the report that Rojostevsky has divided his fleet. Lloyd's asserts the fleet which passed Singapore on Saturday consisted of seven battleships, two armored cruisers and five unarmored cruisers, three converted cruisers, seven destroyers, seventeen steamers, one hospital ship and one tug.

Not Credited. St. Petersburg, April 12.—The probability of a general battle between the Russian and Japanese fleets is not regarded as imminent, hence the reported engagement today is discredited by the admiralty. It is contended the first news of a battle will come from Singapore, not from Batavia.

Admiral Togo's Base. Admiral Togo is making Kelung his base. In doing so he appears to be certain Rojostevsky is going to pass between Formosa and the mainland. In that case two courses would be open to Rojostevsky, one through the Straits of Formosa for the entire distance and the other through the Strait of Pescadores, between the islands of Formosa and the southern end of Formosa, and leading into the Straits of Formosa farther north.

By making Kelung his base Togo will have to watch only one passage-way and thus he can better keep his forces together.

Rojostevsky Cleans Ships. The battle may take place sooner than expected. Dispatches from St. Petersburg reveal that Rojostevsky has invented means of cleaning his ships' bottoms as he steams along. He fastens a semicircle of chains in such a way that they scrape the bottoms quite effectively, thereby increasing the speed of the vessels. When last heard from the advance guard of his fleet was still at the Anambas islands, about 75 miles northeast of Singapore.

JUDGE WILL DECIDE AS TO INJUNCTION

Evidence Found Relative to the Packers' Combine Made Public Today.

[SPECIAL BY SCRIPTS-M'RAE.] Chicago, April 12.—Evidence that the packers sold casing at the minimum price of forty cents per set in pursuance of an agreement to regulate the price of by-products, is said to have been found in the trunks seized by the government officers engaged in the beef trust investigation. Five employees of the packers were questioned by the federal grand jury this morning. The transcript of the evidence is being made ready to submit to Judge Grosscup to ascertain if the injunction of his court restraining the packers from combining has been violated.

MAYOR DUNNE HAS MADE AN ANSWER

Sends More Police to Guard the Strikers in Face of a Protest by Unions

[SPECIAL BY SCRIPTS-M'RAE.] Chicago, April 12.—A hundred extra policemen were detailed this morning to guard the wagons of Montgomery Ward & Co. This is the answer of Mayor Dunne to the appeal of the Mayor Dunne to the effect that the strikers, in which they complained of the officiousness of the police in protecting non-union drivers. The coal team owners today delivered fuel to the company, despite the warnings of the union that a strike would be ordered against them.

Maybe you want a want ad.

Singapore. News from Mantok shows that no Russian warships are now visible anywhere about the island of Banka. This may indicate that the ships seen there a couple of days ago were those missing from Rojostevsky's Singapore division and that they have sailed on to unite with it at Anambas or near that island.

Seeks to Borrow Port. The correspondent at Kobe of the Daily Telegraph says: "A telegram from Pekin reports that Russian Minister Lessar asked China to lend Russia a port in Pekiann (Peking), but China absolutely refused."

Rear Admiral Ingles, writing in the Morning Telegraph, says: "We may expect that the whole passage of the Russian fleet to the north through the south China sea will be marked by continual harassing by torpedo-boat destroyers, whose supreme object will be to wear down the Russian fleet, ship by ship, so that when the supreme moment arrives for action between the battle fleets, if such an event ever does take place, Admiral Togo's superiority may be even greater than at present."

Locates First Battle.

"It is probable that there will be little occurring in the way of naval action while the Russians are so close to territorial waters as at present. They could seek a sanctuary at almost any moment if it were desired, and this is not according to the Japanese books; so that if Rojostevsky does not go into Saigon to carry out essential repairs I should say the first serious engagement will take place to the north of the French base. "It is certain that Russians will give the Philippine islands as wide a berth as possible on account of the lack of sympathy which is known to exist in the United States."

"With reference to Russia's far Eastern policy we may take it for granted that Rojostevsky, after leaving Saigon, will keep it in the open sea south of Formosa. Then anything may happen."

Predicts Victory for Japs.

Admiral Sir John Colomb says: "It would seem to be the Japanese policy to keep the Russians in sight, but not to take action until they have got them as near as they may go into Japanese home waters. The further the Russians are allowed to go the greater will be the force of a naval reverse, or naval disaster, perhaps, inflicted upon them. The Japanese admiral, it would seem reasonably probable, has it in his power to elect the time and place at which the fight will take place, and then—well, then, I suppose it will be the Spanish armada over again."

CARRIED THOUSANDS IN COAT LININGS

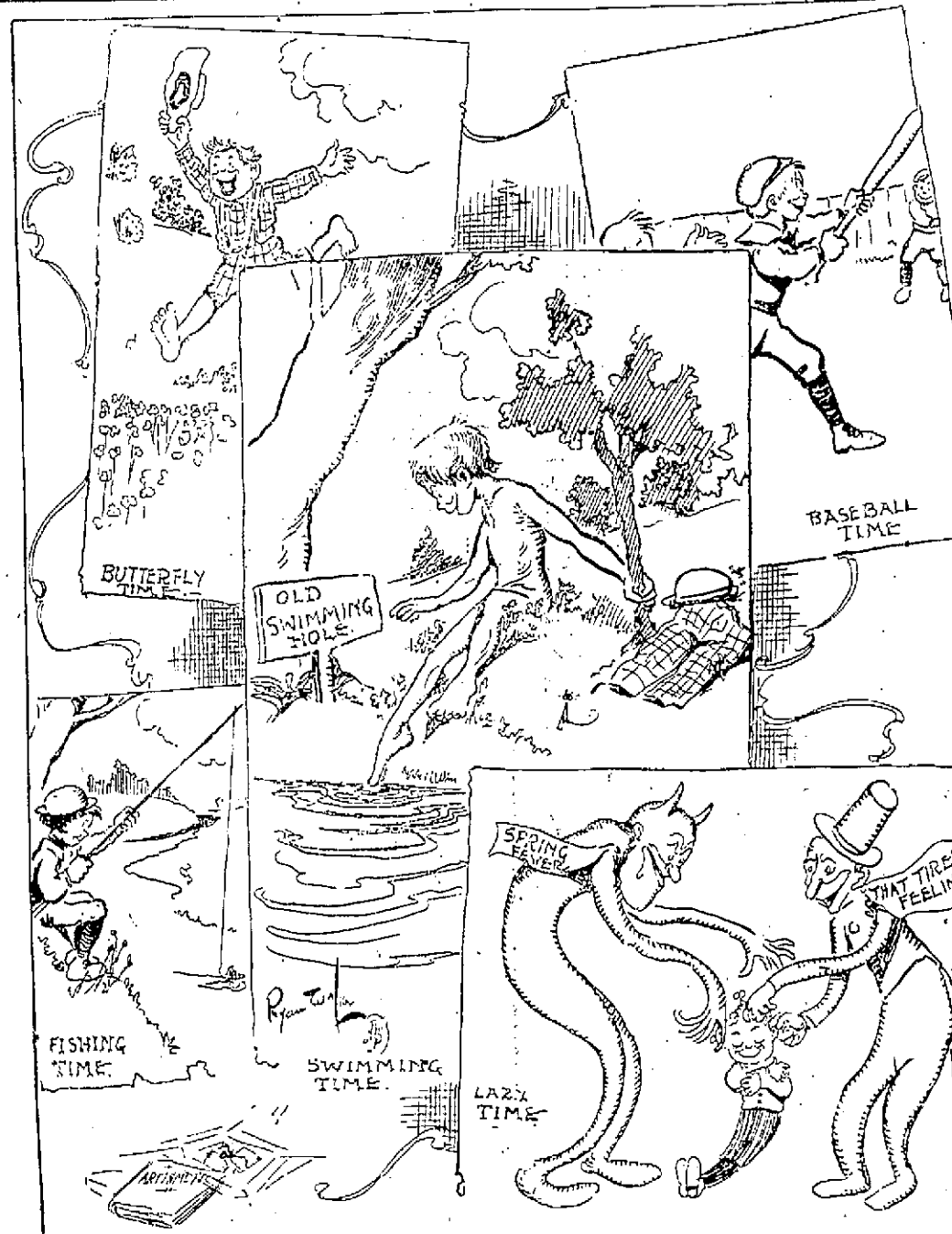
Man Who Gathered Fuel in Des Moines Railroad Yards Had Money Deposited in the Banks.

Des Moines, Iowa, April 12.—With certificates of deposit in Des Moines banks for \$7,000 and bills worth \$125 all wadded together in the lining of his coat, William H. Talmohlen of this city was killed while picking up kindling, presumably for a living, in the railroad yards here. Talmohlen was dressed in ragged clothes and has for months been a frequent visitor to the yards, where he picked up coal and other fuel, which he burned and sold. He was of an eccentric character and it is reported his wife deserted him about three weeks ago, going to Freeport, Ill. He was standing between two uncoupled cars, when an engine bumped them and he was crushed to death. When his clothing was searched the money and deposit certificates were wadded together as if they had been carried for many months.

KILLED A SHERIFF; RELEASED PRISONER

Mississippi Mob Takes the Law in Their Own Hands with Fatal Results.

[SPECIAL BY SCRIPTS-M'RAE.] Sanitobia, Miss., April 12.—Sheriff Poag was shot and killed early this morning by a masked mob which entered the jail to release a prisoner.



Why young Master America finds it so hard to go to school about this time of the year.

ASK JUDGMENT OF A BANK EXAMINER

Nebraska Bank Depositors Want the Bank Failure Sifted Down Carefully.

[SPECIAL BY SCRIPTS-M'RAE.] O'Neill, Neb., April 12.—Depositors of a defunct bank have filed a suit against State Bank Examiner Whitmore and his bondsmen asking for a judgment for losses and alleging negligence in the examinations by which the cashier and president were permitted to embezzle forty thousand dollars of the bank's funds. President McGreevey is in jail here, but Cashier Rodgers is a fugitive.

INDICTMENT WAS OF NO COURT VALUE

Indictment Against a Train Wrecker Is Not Good, Said the Judge

[SPECIAL BY SCRIPTS-M'RAE.] Iowa City, April 12.—Judge Byington dismissed the indictment against Eric Kutzleben for the murder and wrecking of the Rock Island limited at Homestead, because the grand jury was composed of less than seven members. Kutzleben is held in jail for the next grand jury.

STATE NOTES

St. Francis' church at Depere was broken into Monday night, but the burglars were unable to get at the church vessels. The sacristy was ransacked but nothing of value taken.

The latest step in the conflict of the Wisconsin Telephone company and the Citizens company at Racine is the issuance of a circular by the Citizens company appealing to subscribers to continue the service.

August Arndt of Marquette and Suel Sargeant of Marquette, Wis., were arrested and each fined \$20 and costs for shooting ducks on Sunday, about fifty birds will help pay the fines.

August Brisl of La Crosse, was bound over to the circuit court on Monday under \$2,000 bail for shooting at William Miller, who was singing a popular song in front of the hotel.

The lively barn of Baxter & Kent, Wautoma, was destroyed by fire, with a loss of \$1,800. The North-Western depot, the lumber yard of T. S. Chittenden & Co., a hotel, and several large potato warehouses narrowly escaped.

Harry Mite, a Racine boy, was taken violently sick in court at Racine during the hearing of a suit for damages brought by his father against the owner of a dog which bit the lad. The sickness, it was alleged, was due to the heat.

The Wisconsin Telephone company has begun the purchase of land for a new line between Kenosha and the new line between Pleasant Prairie to follow the line of the Geneva road. The company is buying the line at the rate of \$80 a mile.

Miss Jessie Gray, daughter of Ald. Albert L. Gray, and Dr. Frank R. Houston, a leading dentist, both of Green Bay, were married at the parsonage of the Union Congregational church. Athol, a handsome elder sister of the bride, was married to Dr. Houston several years ago and secured a divorce last October.

A resolution will be offered in the Tennessee senate asking the consent of congress to create a new state of east Tennessee.

BLAME BOWEN FOR TROUBLE

HOLDS DIFFICULT POSITION

Castro Positively Refuses to Entertain Proposition for Arbitration of Differences With the United States, Using Emphatic Language.

Washington, April 12.—Official notes exchanged by Minister Bowen and President Castro, which were received Tuesday at the state department, indicate that the former was blunt, even curt, in his ultimatum demanding the arbitration of various disputes pending between the United States and Venezuela, and that the latter answered in the same vein.

The correspondence shows Mr. Bowen's position in Caracas is extremely embarrassing. Nevertheless, he will not be withdrawn at once, though when the president returns to Washington it is expected he will be transferred to another post.

In his cable report of President Castro's reply Mr. Bowen characterized the tone of the communication as impertinent. What Castro did say was that "the United States must respect the dignity of the Venezuelan courts," and he said it as emphatically as the Spanish language could make it.

Stand by Bowen.

President Roosevelt left Washington with a good idea of Castro's attitude, but the text of Bowen's note was not known, so judgment could not be passed upon his action. The state department officials excuse Minister Bowen on the ground that his position has been a difficult one, as a result of the hostile policy of Castro towards him. At the same time, it is believed the suggestion of Dr. Paul that the relations of the two countries would be improved if another minister was appointed, may have some basis of fact. It is not intended by the president to disgrace or humiliate Minister Bowen, and he certainly will get a post as good, if not better, than that which he has at present; and the president will be informed that the United States has no intention of retracting a single statement Minister Bowen has made.

A Venezuelan diplomat has received a letter from an official at Caracas, in which the statement is made that President Castro's answer was dignified and not impertinent or impudent. Mr. Bowen's characterization of the president's note as offensive, therefore, has added another objection so far as Venezuela is concerned to his continuance as American minister at Caracas.

A letter from Caracas also states that Mr. Bowen is blamed for all the trouble that has passed and still exists. Reports made by Mr. Bowen concerning the internal situation are declared to have been colored with the deliberate intention of creating a false impression in this country.

A. H. Beckman & Co. of New York purchased the Panama, Ill., electric light plant. The company was granted a twenty-five-year franchise by the council. It will construct an interurban line between Panama and Terre Haute, Ind.

Big result for the money: a want ad.

WALTER BROWN MAY DIE BEFORE TRIAL

Man Waiting Trial for Wrecking a Bank in Indiana, Dying of Consumption.

[SPECIAL BY SCRIPTS-M'RAE.] Chicago, Ill., April 12.—The counsel for Walter Brown, convicted of illegally using the funds of the National bank of Elkhart, Ind., today applied to the United States court of appeals for admission to bail on the grounds that Brown is dying of consumption. The application was denied and Brown must remain in jail to await the final disposition of the case in Milwaukee on May 11th.

ONE KILLED IN A SALOON BLAZE

Grand Rapids, Michigan, the Scene of an Awful Horror This Morning.

[SPECIAL BY SCRIPTS-M'RAE.] Grand Rapids, Mich., April 12.—As the result of a fire early today in a boarding-house and saloon at the corner of Broadway and Elizabeth streets, May Herriek, aged eight, is dead; Mrs. Charles Herriek, the child's mother, fatally injured, and five others seriously burned.

SPARKS FROM THE WIRES

John McDonald attempted suicide by hanging himself in the barn near his home in Washington, Ind., but as he swung himself into space the rope broke.

The ceremonies inaugurating Rolla Wells into office for his second term as mayor of St. Louis were held at a joint meeting of the municipal assembly.

The government river engineers meet in Rock Creek, Ill., next month to consider the matter of condemning the bridge across the Mississippi at Hannibal.

Saloon-keepers and gamblers have organized to close the drugstores and stop all Sunday business if the police continue to enforce the liquor laws at Elkhart, Ind.

"Good-by, you suckers, good-by," was the notice posted by a get-rich-quick concern that failed to open its doors at Kansas City, Mo., leaving thousands of victims.

When Lon Watkins of Terre Haute, Ind., tried to take his nephew Samuel Stultz, saloon, struck him with a rock, blinding him for life.

While working in a rainstorm at his farm residence north of Boonville, Ind., Edward Young was struck by lightning and may not recover. He is prominent in republican politics of Farrick county.

Lives of Men and Women.

No man, even the most wretched, would change with any woman, even the most fortunate. And this is not an illusion. He is instinctively right. He gets more out of life. He knows this, and it helps him to bear much without complaint.—Referee.

Age of Self-Consciousness.

Authorities differ on when a child awakes to self-consciousness. Some place it between the ages of 1 and 2 years. Others think that it does not come until two or three years later, and of course it varies in different children.

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RATE BILL IS NOT SETTLED

Administration Men Said To Be Urging Passage To Redeem Party Pledges.

GOVERNOR TO RESIGN AFTER THAT

Much Pressure Being Brought To Bear So La Follette May Go To The Senate With Promises Fulfilled.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.] Madison, Wis., April 12.—The assembly killed the second bill to appropriate money for a Wisconsin exhibit at the Portland exposition, by a vote of 51 to 41. The first bill proposed an appropriation of \$25,000 and the measure killed today called for \$20,000. Milwaukee and other manufacturers had demanded an appropriation. The Thayer ward option bill received a setback by several amendments being introduced and the bill finally being sent back to the committee on state affairs. The Warner amendment provides for a special election instead of petition or remonstrance. Petitions are flooding the bill at this session, and there is to both houses in favor of a railroad rate commission bill and the Stout measure to prohibit saloons within 400 feet of any school. Governor La Follette communicated his determination to veto any measure for damming a stream unless fish ways were required and the rights of the public safeguarded. The senate advanced the anti-firecracker bill after a facetious debate by the opponents, asking amendments for a slow six-inch fuse and six-foot wooden handle with each firecracker. The hearing on the capitol plans occurred this afternoon before the committee on railroads. The senate committee on the problem of formulating a commission measure that will be satisfactory to all the members of the upper branch whose votes are necessary to passage. The bill has been drawn and redrawn several times and is still in such shape that it cannot be introduced for the consideration of the senate. The great desideratum on the part of the leading administration members is to come to an agreement on a measure that will be effective, that will fulfill what they believe to be the demands of the people as expressed in the platforms which have been given approval at the polls, and to so frame the bill that it will be approved by a sufficient number of senators. There prevails here the impression that the administration is exceedingly desirous of passing a rate commission bill at this session, and there is to be found no warrant for the recent rumor to the effect that the senate committee would offer a measure for the final vote which could not be passed, so as to give Governor La Follette an excuse for declining to go to the senate and to remain to lead another gubernatorial fight in this state. In fact, so much evidence is abroad to show that the administration wants a bill passed and wants it much, that it gives some color to current remarks that Governor La Follette and some friends are fearful that there is danger of defeating the rate commission bill in the senate and will be practically obliged, in accordance with his qualified acceptance, to hand the senatorial toga back to the legislature.

JUDGE DUNWIDDIE AT THE REVIVAL

Will Assist Charles Norton-Hunt of St. Louis in Milwaukee Revival.

Judge B. F. Dunwiddie is to assist in the revival meetings to be held in the Hotel Plister, Milwaukee, this week by Charles Norton Hunt of St. Louis, according to a Milwaukee paper. Mr. Hunt, it will be remembered, spoke in Janesville and conducted one of the most successful revivals that has ever been held here. Justice Gerrit A. Forbes, of the New York supreme court, is also expected to be present at the meetings.

STARTS INQUIRY AT ZIEGLER

Governor Deenen Orders Sweeping Investigation of Mine Disaster.

Peoria, Ill., April 12.—Governor Deenen has ordered James Taylor of this city, state mine inspector for the third district, to proceed at once to Ziegler and make a full and complete investigation of the causes of the explosion there on April 3, by which fifty lives were lost. The governor places all the mine inspectors of the state at Mr. Taylor's disposal and orders a full investigation. In his letter to Mr. Taylor Governor Deenen lays particular stress upon the character of the investigation that he wishes conducted and orders him to remain there until he has exhausted all possible sources of information. He declares that "any or all" of the state mine inspectors will be assigned to Ziegler to assist Mr. Taylor if needed.

Child Has Rough Experience.

Laramie, Wyo., April 12.—The pilot of a locomotive struck a little girl and threw her into the air, where she turned a complete somersault, and again fell on the track. The engineer reversed and the locomotive stopped with the pilot over the child's body.

Fishery Arbitration.

Paris, April 12.—The arbitration commission appointed to determine the indemnities payable to the French fishermen for abandoning their rights along the treaty shore of New Foundland will meet in Paris May 3.

Gets \$2,500 for Injuries.

New York, April 12.—A verdict of \$2,500 damages has been returned by a Supreme court jury against a street railway company for the loss of two teeth by a passenger. The plaintiff was knocked down by a guard.

Noted Priest Is Dead.

Butte, Mont., April 12.—Father Leopold Van Corp of St. Ignace's mission in the Bitter Root valley, is dead. Father Van Corp was a pioneer of the Northwest and one of the most widely-known Catholic workers.

Bank Robbers Escape on Handcar.

Bozeman, Neb., April 12.—The state bank was blown open and robbed. Before the thieves could be captured they obtained a handcar and escaped with from \$2,000 to \$3,000.

Houses for rent in the want ads.

WOMAN TORTURED BY CRUEL POLICEMEN

Wife of Suspected Murderer Is Subjected to Inhumane Treatment in Morgue at San Francisco.

San Francisco, Cal., April 12.—As a result of the torture to which she was subjected Mrs. Rosa Torturici, wife of the suspected murderer of Biaggio Vilarido, is mentally and physically prostrated and is under the care of a physician. In an attempt to force a confession from her Mrs. Torturici was temporarily deprived of her infant and thrust into the autopsy-room at the morgue where lay the mangled remains of Vilarido. She refused to look at the body, threw herself on the floor and became hysterical. Then the blood-stained cleaver with which the crime was committed and the blood-stained blanket and shawl in which the dismembered trunk was wrapped, were suddenly produced, with the result of driving the terror-stricken woman insane.

PRISON SENTENCES FOR TWO THIEVES

Bessey and Rawleigh, Who Plundered Robinson Brewery, Will Sojourn at Waupun.

For stealing copper from the Robinson brewery, Lyman Bessey and George Rawleigh will spend a year and a half each in the state prison at Waupun. The two took away a single piece of apparatus valued at \$100 as junk and disposed of it at the Park street junk establishment. They were apprehended by the police several days ago and pleaded guilty in court this morning. Bessey has been living in Janesville about a year. Rawleigh came here recently.

DISCOVERS A NEW BLOOD TEST

Physician Tells How to Detect Whether Stains Are Human.

Bridgeport, Conn., April 12.—Dr. Justin De Lisle of New York city explained to the members of the Fairfield County Medical society the facts of a newly discovered test for determining whether or not blood-stains upon garments or on other things are human or animal stains. The stains, he said, are first washed with a saline solution and the mixture set aside. A few drops of serum obtained by the admixture of human blood with that of some lower animal are added and the solution is put in a warm place for twenty-four hours. If the solution after that period has elapsed assumes a cloudy appearance or there is precipitation in the test tube the stains are human blood. Serum will react only with the serum from the same species.

Standard Oil Indictments.

Frankfort, Ky., April 12.—About 400 indictments charging the Standard Oil company with failure to take out a peddler's license, as required by the Kentucky statutes, were returned by the Franklin county grand jury.

STATUS OF JANESVILLE STREETS WAS DEPLORED

By Social Union Club Speakers--Rev. Vaughan Starts Movement To Build Hospital.

Inadequate streets, a parsimonious attitude toward the sick and wounded, and lax government of children--are such things tolerated in a city blessed with all the material evidences of prosperity. In its educational institutions, proud of the intelligence and progressiveness of its citizenship, generous in its attitude toward churches and church work? There were those who said as much at the Y. M. C. A. auditorium last evening, the scene of the final meeting for the year of the Social Union club. The discussion following the supper was led by F. A. Taylor and the subject was "Janesville." The speaker said that it was a delight to expatiate on the good qualities of the home city, even if the bad ones were remarked in the same breath. Everyone in his hearing, he was confident, would fight for Janesville. Yet there were many things in relation thereto which might be improved upon.

As Others See Us
Speaking on the subject "Janesville As Others See Us," Supr. H. C. Buell said that the first thing that impressed a stranger coming to a city was the attitude of the railway companies, the depot furnishing the index of the estimate which is placed upon it. The certain value given Janesville by two of these railroads was a high one. The beautiful city hall gives the visitor a good impression of the civil government, and the postoffice building tells him of the national government's opinion.

Political Aspects
Should he attempt to trace political history he would discover considerable originality. Movements rise, flourish, and disappear like the reputations of military heroes. A great reform municipal organization is started with a definite aim. It succeeds and having accomplished its purpose is relegated to obscurity. When the people want a good democratic administration they get it and at the very next election they may show a rousing republican majority. Women's rights, untried, unknown, comes to the fore in the twinkling of an eye and sweeps all before it. Janesville was known as a good theatre town and the speaker could not recall the day when he had not heard of it from the standpoint of the legal profession. Such names as Matt Carpenter, I. C. Sloan, Judge Cassaday, and Judge Bennett had long been familiar. Its medical profession had also had its distinguished exponents.

Commercial Life
The city had a reputation for strong, vigorous, active churches. Scarcely a denomination was not so represented. Its commercial life could be characterized in the same manner. It was known as a splendid city to trade in and the fact that the stores drew their customers from a distance of 150 miles westward testified to the excellent facilities in that respect. The manufactures are carried to the furthest corners of the globe. A new recruit to the soldierly writing from Manila had stated that the first sign that caught his eye in that far off city was one extolling the merits of the Parker pen. But the strength of the city and its fair reputation rested also on the character of its men and women. The city was blessed with a large share of honest men, and was, therefore, worthy to be the abode of the men and women from many parts of the world.

Municipal Ownership
A. E. Matheson opened his discussion of "Municipal Ownership of Public Necessities" with a proposition to sell at auction one share of the capital stock of the Janesville Street Railway Co. which he owned. While it paid no dividends, its face value was \$100 and he wished to get rid of it in order that its possession might not interfere with an unbiased discussion. The best offer received was \$25--the bidder not stipulating whether he meant dollars or cents. Receiving no better offers, the speaker decided he would have to go on with the understanding that he was biased against anything that favored of paternalism. Certain old authorities had held that government the best which governs least. In many ways it was better to leave to private initiative and individual effort all that could possibly be so left. The speaker would hardly be willing to be classed as a socialist. Yet there are many kinds of socialism and the Christian socialism of Charles Kingsley of England might appeal to him strongly.

Necessity Alters Cases
Necessity may make government control desirable in any given case. The postoffice managed by private en-

CHICO CIGARS MAKE FRIENDS.

Smith Drug Co. Say They are Now the Largest Sellers in Their Cigar Case.

Give a man a Wadsworth Bros. Chico and you make a friend for life, and at the same time show that you are a smoker of good cigars. Smith Drug Co., who are the local agents for this brand say they never before introduced a cigar to their trade that gave such general satisfaction as the Chico, and although they have had them for only a short time they are today the largest seller in their cigar case. It is quality that has made this sale, and that keeps increasing it from day to day. "A man who first tried a Chico yesterday," said Mr. Smith, "will come in today and get some more and we are sure that he will continue a friend to Chico."

They are made with a four-leaf Havana filler of the best quality tobacco, burn freely with a pleasant, mild fragrance, and although they sell for but five cents are equal to most fifteen cent cigars, and superior to a great many of the ten centers. If you like a good cigar from imported tobacco, call at Smith Drug Co.'s drug store for a Chico.

terprise would scarcely be expected to engage in the unprofitable task of carrying mail and delivering it in the remote and non-populous sections. Under government control it served all people as fairly, equally, and justly as possible, and this control seemed a necessity if the purposes were to be accomplished. A legislator of Kansas, reproached for embarking on a socialist program in the measures taken against the Standard Oil Co., had exclaimed: "It is not socialism--it is federalism!" It was an attempt to protect the people and to guarantee certain private interests the protection to which they were entitled. It seemed necessary to the legislators of Kansas to do this one socialistic thing in order to give protection in an emergency.

May Become Necessary
Some leading citizens--notably Mr. Bryan--advocate public ownership of railways. It seemed to the speaker that this was not a necessity yet. But if combination should continue until all were concentrated in a few hands, it might become a necessity. The best method, it seemed to the speaker, was not to seek ownership but sufficient control so that these big corporations should be fair in their dealings with all men.

Honest Government First
Richard Ely in one of his books had advocated the control by cities of all natural monopolies such as water, lighting, and street railways. It is argued that if the city operates them it will not be for gain but for the best interests of all. However, they are more successfully managed in the cities of Europe than here, the reason being that the old world cities are better governed, their ways more settled. James Bryce has recently characterized our city government as one of our conspicuous failures. We must wait until our city government has proved successful before we can advocate public ownership. In the general principle the speaker believed but he was not sure of its adaptation to many of our cities. Once in five years Janesville has the opportunity to buy its water plant, but the speaker was not aware that this same privilege extended to the lighting and street railway properties. When a city had solved the abstract question and came to the concrete question of buying a given utility new questions must necessarily be met. Would it be expedient to purchase an old plant, more or less deteriorated? Ought the city pay for it what it cost the owners? Would it be fair to establish a new city plant alongside the old private enterprise, such action amounting practically to confiscation? The private owners risked their capital and provided the utility when it was needed and the city would not have undertaken it. The same considerations applied to the great railroads which opened up the country. The question as to whether a local government was so successful, so well-managed by competent officials that it might hope to manage these utilities as efficiently as private concerns must be answered by the citizens. Over in Elkhorn the water and electric light plants are excellently managed by the city government.

Ownership of Stone Crusher
On suggestion of Mr. Matheson, T. O. Howe was called upon to discuss public ownership of the stone crusher. Mr. Howe limited his remarks on this matter to a statement that he had heard some say that certain drives were not being fixed up as thoroughly as they should be. He asked if there was not a state law which operates to prevent a city from practically confiscating a private utility plant by establishing another alongside. Judge Dunwiddie, Marshall Richardson, and others expressed opinions that it all depended on the nature of the franchise or contract with a given private concern. P. H. Korst was certain that a bill had been passed at a recent session of the legislature providing that where towns desired to operate an electric light or water plant and such an institution already existed, that they must buy and if terms could not be agreed upon, have the plant appraised by an impartial board.

Janesville in 1925
W. H. Dougherty, speaking in place of Bernard Palmer on "Janesville in 1925," prefaced his remarks with the observation that the business of a professional prophet was without profit and without very much honor. He had guessed at many things and had come as far from one as another and sometimes further. There were two decades intervening before the arrival of the day he was expected to forecast and what Janesville couldn't do in one jump, it might still accomplish in the second. He was certain that the showing would be creditable. Most of the present evidences of progress and material prosperity were the work of the past 20 years. Nearly all the public buildings and many of the private enterprises had been built up in that time. There were some things of which one might be confident that there would be no retrogression, even if the municipal ownership experiment were tried. The street railway 20 years hence could not possibly be in a worse condition than it was at the present time. No one could foretell what 20 years of aldermanic thought might do with the gas plant. But any great future for Janesville must be said to depend largely on the people. A city has a character and an individuality just the same as a person. As we speak of a man being progressive and quick to grasp his opportunities, so may we speak of a city. If Janesville is progressive it will let no possible advantages slip by without giving them attention. In twenty years there will be some more people, more money, and a few more manufacturing enterprises, it was to be hoped. The speaker refused to hamper the coming years by additional predictions.

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HIRE BIG BAND TO PLAY AT THE FAIR

Purses for Races at the State Fair Will Aggregate \$27,000 -- Largest Sum Ever Offered.

With the contract concluded securing Liberator's band for the principal musical attraction during the entire week of the state fair and with the practical assurance that the purses offered in the horse races will at least reach \$27,000, the prospects for an exceptionally strong program of attractions at Wisconsin's fair next September seem most promising. The contract for Liberator's band was made possible only by the combination of the forces of three states, the band having been secured jointly by the management of the Minnesota, Iowa, and Wisconsin fairs. The band will appear at each of the fairs in succession, and it is prophesied that these musicians will prove as good a drawing card as the Philharmos, who made such a pronounced hit last year.

The announcement of racing purses which will aggregate \$27,000 at the Wisconsin state board of agriculture is contingent only on Milwaukee's again guaranteeing \$15,000 toward the fund. The hotel men and the Citizens' Business League of Milwaukee have already voted to raise \$5,000 each, and the third \$5,000 will undoubtedly be raised by the Merchants and Manufacturers association, these three organizations being the ones which undertook the work last year. Inasmuch as last year's fund was raised with but little difficulty and there was no call on any of the guarantors for any part of their subscription, the raising of the fund seems assured.

This will make the largest sum ever offered by the Wisconsin state fair for horse races and it will be larger than the purses offered by either Minnesota or Iowa. Contracts are also under way for a number of other entertainment features.

JACKSON'S IDEA AS TO CANDIDATES

What the State Board of Examiners Intend to Accomplish if Possible.

The first bar examination at which section 6 of the rules relating to bar examinations went into effect was held in Milwaukee yesterday. This rule provides that persons applying for admission must have taken a four years' high school course or passed an examination that satisfactorily establishes such general educational qualifications as are implied in a high school course. "The application of this rule will raise the standard of candidates for admission," said A. A. Jackson, a member of the board, last night. "It is not our intention to restrict applicants, but the time seems to have arrived when greater educational qualifications should be demanded. It is disconcerting to courts to have lawyers appear before them who can not spell and punctuate correctly and who are ignorant of simple rules of composition."

The following thirteen applicants passed the examination yesterday: George L. Abramson, Now Auburn; Manfred S. Black, Plattville; Julius P. Frank, Oconto; Frank D. Fulton, Milwaukee; F. F. Frayley, Madison; David Jacobson, Wausau; William Kornbacher, Milwaukee; William A. Loveland, Monticello; James E. Ochiel, Mineral Point; Ernest Sauve, Iron River; Henry F. Steele, Fond du Lac; Paul Stover, Milwaukee; D. O. Williams, Fond du Lac.

All of the above with the exception of one had attended some law school other than that of the University of Wisconsin. Graduates of this school are admitted without examination.

DOES NOT BELIEVE IN SPRING WORKING

Coach Phil King Announces That the Football Work Will Begin Next Fall.

Madison, Wis.--"I don't believe in spring football practice," said Coach Phil King before the University of Wisconsin football candidates Monday. "But if we are to beat Minnesota, Michigan and Chicago, we will have to do as much as they in this regard."

Graduate Manager Downer and Captain Vanderboom considered the matter a week ago and concluded that spring practice was of no use, and the manager made such an announcement. It is said he desired to avoid the expense as the Wisconsin association is some \$5,000 in debt and he wants to keep this from getting worse. Coach King, however, would not allow the work to be omitted and accordingly Captain Vanderboom will get the candidates out this week as soon as practicable. Coach King was opposed to playing three big games in one season, but gave in on this point on representations from the manager that it could scarcely be avoided. The good feeling between Michigan and the Badgers precluded cutting the Wolverines off the schedule, and besides, to do so would suggest fear of another defeat by Yost. The same is true with reference to the Chicago game and particular need there is of maintaining the relations with the Midway school on account of the rich gate money to be derived therefrom. The financial argument is equally strong as to the Minnesota game. For this reason the game that would by contract be played in Madison next fall was transferred to Minneapolis and will be the one "big" game of the season there. A \$20,000 crowd is already predicted. Practice at Madison will begin early in September. King expects to report about September 4 and in the meantime he has left instructions with Manager Downer to secure some heavy men for material in the line.

Why suffer with spring tiredness, mean cross feeling, no strength, no appetite? Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will make you well and keep you well. 35 cents, tea or tablets. Smith Drug Co.

VISIT SHIPS OF A BIG SQUADRON

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SEE SOME STRANGE SIGHTS

Wine Goes Aboard for the Officers in Big Casks--Not a Good Example.

Mrs. Dr. P. T. Richards and Miss Mable Charlton, daughter of Geo. Charlton, of this city, spending a few months in Florida, recently had the privilege of inspecting the "White Squadron," our Atlantic fleet, which put in at Pensacola, Florida, for a few days.

We publish, by permission, an extract from a letter from Mrs. Richards describing this visit: "The vessels of the Atlantic squadron at Pensacola harbor numbered about fifteen and conspicuous among these were the Olympia and the new Maine."

The Olympia
The Olympia you remember as the flagship of Admiral Dewey in Manila bay. The huge white vessel is very majestic as it lies in anchor. We were much interested to note the various occupations of the sailors as we passed along the different decks. Some were seated on the floor beside small boxes on which were the little hand-sewing machines, mending the "where withal to be clothed." And what was very interesting to the ladies was a young sailor seated on a chest considering a black silk neckerchief. But one wondered how he would work on heavy material as he scorned the use of a thimble. As we went on the smell of fresh bread seemed very "homey" and we watched the baker at his work, also the man who was preparing the meat for dinner. At some places on the deck we had to walk very circumspectly for fear of stepping on the sailors who were lying asleep. Others were reading, writing and playing cards and chess. Some were at target practice and it was interesting to see them. Instead of using the six-inch guns there is a small rifle attachment that is built in the same proportion, that is used as a great saving in ammunition. The target is a square of cardboard on which are small dots in little squares. The men first shoot at the dot and then finish by cutting out the whole square. The other side of the target is a padded cushion which stops the bullet. After viewing the signal box--in which is an instrument resembling a typewriter board--we went into the saloon. Was it an honor to play upon the piano on the vessel from which Dewey directed the sinking of the Spanish fleet at Manila? If so, then we were honored. From here we passed the officers' mess rooms and then below to the boiler rooms. To the uninitiated mind the machinery here is bewildering and it seems hard to understand that someone knows every pipe and wheel and just where every nut is to be adjusted. We are shown the furnaces and told that when the vessel is in action the temperature here is two hundred degrees. We thought it pretty hot then. In the boiler room we were eighteen feet below the water line. We were shown the condensing cylinder and was told it was refilled in England, requiring six weeks for the task. I think you can very easily imagine the relief one feels at coming out of this miniature "infernal region" up into the pure cool air. Colby is in command of the Olympia, but we failed to see him.

The New Maine
We then entered our little launch to be taken to the new Maine. Mabel and some others preferred to sit outside on the canopy and seemed to have a good time notwithstanding the fact that Mabel lost her hat in the "sea that was running." It was reasoned, however, and we sped on our way to the Maine. This is a first class battleship and being the flagship is under command of Admiral Evans--"Fighting Bob" as he is called. As soon as we reached the deck an officer stepped forward and politely relieved Helen of her kodak--a case here of he (or she) who passes this way leaves all hope of pictures behind. We were very much disappointed at being denied a peep at the reigning monarch but went on up to the next deck. We were taken into the conning tower, shown the wheel and compass and also the signal box. It was quite interesting to note how by simply pressing an electric button, the men in the ammunition room were told just what kind of a charge to send up. Coming down again to the lower deck our sailor guide said if we would "like" he would take us into the turret where the twelve-inch gun was. Of course we "liked" and so crawled up through an opening about two feet square. The gun is a wonder in itself. The ammunition is carried to it in a cog chain and rammed to place by a compressed air machine. The recoil of this immense gun is only 2 1/2 feet. A man stands in a little part above where the range finder is and directs the large gun. We were also shown the six-inch gun that holds the world's record of nine hits in nine shots and in fifty-five seconds, against the British gun record of nineteen hits in fifty-seven shots.

"Fighting Bob" Coming back to the main deck we were gratified to see "Fighting Bob." When we expressed our great desire to see the admiral, our sailor said, "Well, we see too much of him--when we do see him he generally has a word to say to us." Our guide pointed out a small gun in the fighting top and explained that it was for "picking off officers on the enemy's vessels." I suppose we looked horrified for he hastened to assure us that "they have the same chance at us." While waiting for the return of our launch we saw one of the small boats made fast to the chain and raised to its position on the upper deck, by means of the derrick. It was real amusing to see the sailors in one of these small boats washing the outside of the vessel. One of them fell overboard and he--well, judging from his language, he didn't exactly enjoy his bath.

There are seven hundred and thirty-six sailors on the Maine--everyone of them some mother's son. Isn't it awful to think of what the sinking of even one vessel means?

The Wine Casks
Just as we were going to leave we were detained by the unloading of supplies from shore--conspicuous among which were several casks of wine, for the officers. The sailor told us he thought that was the reason they went ashore--they continually had the example before them by the officers on board. This man has been on the ship two years. They require five years, and he said as soon as his time was up he was "going home to Texas."

When we landed at the wharf we all unanimously declared we'd had "the best time of our lives" and the same remark was made the next day after we had been over "Old Fort Barrancas" and up to the top of the lighthouse, which only goes to prove that our capacity for enjoyment was not completely filled up the first day or else that this said capacity is elastic and capable of taking in all the enjoyment that comes our way.

Find Bones of Pirate.
New York, April 12--The bones of Capt. Hicks, a notorious pirate hanged on Bedloe's island, are believed to have been unearthed at Bedloe's island, New York.

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PLEASEING PROGRAM GIVEN YESTERDAY

Daughters of the American Revolution Met with Mrs. James Fifield.

Mrs. James Fifield entertained the members of the Daughters of the American Revolution at her home, 123 Washington street, yesterday afternoon. Each member of the order assisted in the program which consisted of anecdotes of the Revolutionary period. A musical program followed. Mrs. Frank Ehlman rendered a piano solo, Mrs. Will Shorer and Miss May Treat a duet and Miss Josephine Treat a vocal solo and Mrs. Fifield a piano solo.

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Northwestern Road
Engineers L. M. Gosselin and C. B. Smith and Foreman L. Foster and H. Pease have gone to Belvidere to work.

Fireman Madden is laying off switchengine number 1043. C. C. Sullivan is relieving him.

St. Paul Road
A coach load of about seventy-five Italian laborers passed through here this morning on their way from Chicago to Mineral Point. They will earn the tonnage report for March shows that an increase of fourteen tons per train has been made, and Superintendent Eldridge, by bulletin, asks the employees of the road to endeavor to keep up the present record.

Locomotive number 1386 is relieving number 765, which is now on the Broadhead & New Glarus branch. 1386 will be in the house for repairs.

Locomotive number 115 double-headed the 11:20 passenger to Davis Junction this morning. She will return to work on the coal road, having undergone a number of necessary repairs here.

An attempt is being made to lessen the amount of coal used on the road and the report for April, 1934 has been sent out by Superintendent Eldridge with the idea that the engineers will try to lower the record.

Notes of the Railroads
Agents of the interstate commerce commission are in Chicago procuring evidence to be presented during the hearings of the commission in May in connection with the corn rates and the Michigan fruit icing charges.

The Rock Island and Southern Pacific systems announce that instead of withdrawing the golden state limited train on April 14 for the summer season, as heretofore has been the practice, it has been decided to continue the train in daily service until further notice.

Under the direction of Traffic Manager Marvin Huggitt, Jr., the Chicago and North-Western road is sending out communications to all agents directing them to furnish definite information regarding the opportunities offered to industrial enterprises along the company's lines.

F. S. Montgomery of Vincennes, Ind., yesterday was elected president of the International Association of Railroad Ticket Agents. Other officers elected were: J. H. Hannan of Walden, Mass., first vice president; L. C. Boyle, Milwaukee, second vice president; C. G. Cadwallader, secretary, and Elwood Ramsey, treasurer.

Presidents of the southeastern roads are holding a conference in New York for the purpose of passing upon the charge made by the Chicago Shippers' association and local manufacturers that the southeastern roads were discriminating against Chicago and western manufacturers in favor of New York, Boston and eastern interests.

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day, cooler Thursday with northerly
winds.

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to make a purchase; and the
only way to know where that
place is is to read the ads.

THE RATE COMMISSION.
Present appearances there is
no prospect of the senate and as-
sembly reaching an agreement on a rate
commission. One of the principal
objections is that the commission
is not ready to carry out the
intent of the governor's appointive com-
mission. The senate, on the other
hand, is backed by the four
democratic members, believe that the
commission should be elected by the
people.

Speaking of the situation Sena-
tor North thus expresses himself:
"It seems to me that the adminis-
tration who are favoring an ap-
pointive commission are, to say the
least, grossly inconsistent in
normal political times, when
they would provoke ridicule
by the stump and from the
people should have the
prospective blessings
election have been
furtherance of the
ideas this state has
available to the popu-
lar United States sena-
torial men voted
its upon this, and it
which was decided
Davidson voting with

think from past ad-
vancements that, when
a selection of officials
is a set of railroad
the people should
voice in their selection;
proposition simply re-
turns to whether or not the
political board that
conceived of and created by
shall be selected by all the peo-
ple, or whether those men shall be
subject to, and become a part of a
political machine to which they owe
their appointment.

"The diversified interests of this
state, agricultural and manufactur-
ing, are too important to be subjected
to a lot of politicians
arbitrariness that can be
dangerous arbitrary pow-
er and political advancement of
the individuals concerned. I feel that
I but express the views of my col-
leagues in making the statements I
have.

"Since the foundation of the state
the people have been entrusted with
the duty of selecting the members of
the supreme court and have uniform-
ly selected good and honest men. The
duties the commission will be called
upon to exercise are quasi judicial
in character and, as applying to our
industrial conditions; of supreme im-
portance, and still it is contended
its selection should rest upon the
power of one man.

"As far as the contention that the
senators cannot be selected un-
less spring is concerned, the pow-
er the commission could be vest-
ed in the present railroad commis-
sion until next spring's election,
thus any delay be avoided. How-
ever, of the opinion that, among
others at least, the desire is
the commission a part of
the machinery of the state,
and from the appointive propo-
sition is so strongly upheld."

"It would hardly seem possible that
governor should permit the
power to fail on this account and
for two reasons can be ascribed for
his attitude in the matter. The first
is in the fact that he wants to ap-
point the commission and thus cre-
ate another political board to aid in
advancing future ambitions, or that
wants the measure to fail so that
he will have some pretext for going
back to the people again in 1906.

"As to the first, Senator North has
covered the ground so completely
that but little more can be said. If
the state is to have a rate commis-
sion, the people should share the re-
sponsibility of creating it.
The one-man power has already
been the fair name of the com-
mission and the people are be-
coming weary of this kind of dicta-

accomplished and his political stock
in trade, exhausted. The time is not
ripe for him to enter the larger field
of politics, and two years more of
spectacular performance at home,
might add to his reputation and con-
tribute to his success. There is
method in his madness and it will
come to the surface before the legis-
lature adjourns.

FAVORING SMALL SHIPPERS.
The New York Globe thus discuss-
es the much discussed railroad ques-
tion, and states a few truths concern-
ing the unwritten laws of trade,
which are frequently overlooked.
Shippers belong to classes, the same
as merchants. The large shipper,
like the wholesale merchant, is en-
titled to rates:

"The theory of railroad rates en-
tertained by those most fluent in de-
nouncing alleged discrimination and
in demanding punitive legislation is
that rates are equal, just and fair
only when the charge for a small
shipment is the same proportionately
as for a large shipment. The right
of the little fellow to get as good
rates as the big fellow is said to be
the supreme object of the agitation.
The ill of the alleged woes of the
small shipper is something constant-
ly recited, and in his behalf we are
asked to make momentous changes
in our laws and to revolutionize our
business system.

"As a matter of fact, as a little re-
flection will show, a lower rate may
be given a large shipper than a small
one without there being discrimina-
tion against the latter; what the
small shipper asks is not substantial
equality of treatment, but discrimina-
tion in his favor. Miss Tarbell's
Standard Oil history says that in
1872 Mr. Rockefeller shipped daily
from Cleveland to New York sixty
carloads of oil. By moving these
cars in thirty to ten days, the num-
ber of cars needed from 1,800 to 600,
with a corresponding saving in coal
and in wages of train crew. From
the standpoint of cost of service was
not the bulked shipment entitled to
a better rate per barrel than could be
fairly demanded by sixty firms each
sending one carload a day under
conditions which required greater
railroad expenditure? What is asked
by the small shipper is not equal-
ity of treatment, but favoritism. The
interests of society may demand that
there should be such favoritism, but
the demand therefore should not in-
volve misrepresentations.

"When a railroad gives a small
shippers the same proportionate rates
that it does to large shippers—and
theoretically railroads now follow
this policy—it seeks to overturn a
law of business of great vitality.
The merchant, the manufacturer, the
business man of every kind gives
better terms to the great than to the
small customer. This is not unrea-
sonable nor unjust, for there is econ-
omy possible in large transactions.
It is not strange that the railroads
find difficulty in setting aside this
natural law of business and that
what is generally called rebating
sometimes occurs. Railroad manag-
ers, instead of being complained
against, should rather be congrat-
ulated on the measure of success they
have attained in substituting an ar-
tificial rule for the natural one.

"No complete and satisfactory
theory of rate making has ever been
formulated, but, other things being
equal, these factors have influence,
viz.: Distance, value of the freight
carried, and size of the shipment. We
recognize the first by the long and
short haul clause; the second by the
classification of freight; we attempt
to set aside the third by an arbitrary
and unnatural rule which experience
shows is not always capable of ab-
solute enforcement."

Peat promises to be the coming
fuel. A company has recently been
organized in Chicago for the devel-
opment of this new industry, and if
half that is claimed is true the ques-
tion of fuel will be revolutionized
within the next two years. A ton of
prepared peat is said to be equal to
a ton of hard coal, and it can be pro-
duced for a small fraction of the cost
of coal.

The democratic city of El Paso,
Texas, is attempting to elect a pub-
lican council with J. A. Smith,
formerly of Evansville, at the head
of the ticket. El Paso is a wide open
town and an effort will be made along
lines of reform, especially in gam-
bling.

Mayor Dunne of Chicago has been
installed and in his speech of accep-
tance declares his intention to buy up
the city railways as soon as the law
will permit. The experiment of city
ownership, on a large scale, will be
watched with a good deal of interest.

The assembly rate commission bill
passed yesterday, will never become
a law. It is fortunate for the state
that the senate has some regard for
justice, as well as some interest in
the welfare of the state.

The senate is ready to pass a rea-
sonable rate commission bill. Will
the governor and his assembly con-
cur? Very doubtful.

The 6,000 acres of beets under con-
tract for the season of 1905 is an
index of good times for next winter.

PRESS COMMENT.

Marquette Eagle-Star: It must dis-
turb readers of a big Chicago news-
paper to have read Sunday of a big
naval battle that never occurred.

Reine News: An actor's union is
being formed. There is no class of
labor that could be as cheerfully
spared in a strike.

a good deal to do with ruling the
world even now.

Oshkosh Northwestern: The garden-
ers are beginning to look as though
they were just aching to be tickled
with a rake or a hoe.

Rockford Register-Gazette: It at
least didn't take the Baptists long to
accept Mr. Rockefeller's last \$100,000
gift. They probably figured they
could wash the coin off if it happen-
ed to be tainted.

Evening Wisconsin: The use of
concrete blocks in the construction
of walls is growing rapidly, and if
it can be demonstrated that these
blocks are cheaper than brick, the
buildings of the future will be largely
of cement construction.

Appleton Crescent: The Women's
Federation of Clubs is discussing the
question, "What is the best prevent-
ive of divorce?" If we were consult-
ed we should venture to suggest
three good meals a day served at
home every day in the year.

Madison Journal: Menasha might
be a good place to spend the "Fourth
of July." That town may put on as
a feature the loop the gap by a lady
in an automobile. One would think
that this chance of being killed was
large enough to draw out a large and
enthusiastic company.

Fond du Lac Reporter: At this sea-
son of the year the birds begin nest-
ing. It is cruel and reckless to al-
low them to be hunted for ten days
just after their long voyage from
their winter homes. Only the pot
hunters and game box advocates the
present law. True sportsmen all
over the state have registered their
protest against spring shooting and
they should be heeded.

Shawano Journal: That the law is
violated every day is a fact that no
one can turn his back upon. Most
all of us have our weaknesses and
they should be and are condoned.
But when the Sabbath day is espe-
cially selected as the time to become
whiskey-crazed and fight like de-
mons, it becomes a stench in the
nostrils of decency, and should be
stopped.

Sheboygan Journal: About the only
woman in Sheboygan who voted at
Tuesday's election were the public
school teachers, who were especial-
ly interested in the choice of a state
superintendent. This is the experi-
ence all over the United States. The
vast majority of women do not care
to vote. By exerting a good influ-
ence over their husbands and sons
they will accomplish just as much.

Madison Democrat: It is announc-
ed by Theodore P. Shonis himself
that he will "divide his time between
the Panama canal and his railroad
interests." As he is to obtain \$20,000
of the federal treasury annually
as chairman of the canal commission
the public will hardly be satisfied
with any plan by which his undiv-
ided attention is not given to the duties
for whose execution he is accorded
such princely pay. Mr. Shonis can-
not at the same time manage a great
railway line and the vast canal en-
terprise, and to do justice to the lat-
ter. He should resign one position
or the other.

Green Bay Gazette: Judge Dunne
wants it distinctly understood that
he was not "bluffing" when he de-
clared in favor of municipal own-
ership of street railways during his
campaign for the position of mayor
of Chicago. Since his election he
has sent to England for an expert
to give him a few pointers on munici-
pal ownership and he declares it to
be his purpose to take the people at
their word and give them all they de-
manded at the polls. If he continues
along the line he has started Judge
Dunne will soon prove or disprove
the value of the theory of municipal
ownership of street railways.

Milwaukee Sentinel: The Sentinel
is not disposed to place confidence
in the Chicago election result as an
indication of the trend of public sen-
timent on popular national issues.
It is not even satisfied that the suc-
cess of Judge Dunne turned upon the
municipal ownership issue. Chicago
republicans for years have been di-
vided into factions, and, as is usual
in family quarrels, the heat engendered
by their disputes was much more
intense than that resulting from
contests between parties. No one
seriously expects Judge Dunne to
municipalize the Chicago street rail-
road, as he has promised. Certainly
the republicans who supported
Dunne because they hate the "Law-
son crowd" do not look for munici-
pal ownership "immediately."

**GENERAL ATTORNEY
OF RAILWAY AT 27**

William S. Kies, Well Known in
Janesville, Is Signally Honored
in Chicago.

An example of the man who
"makes" himself before old Father
Time has a chance to get in his in-
nings was shown yesterday when
City Trial Attorney William S. Kies
was appointed to the position of gen-
eral attorney of the Chicago & North-
Western railroad. Mr. Kies is only
27 years old, and his life's story is
one of struggle and self-reliance. He
will take the place in the legal de-
partment of the railroad left vacant
by A. W. Pulver. The position came
to him as a result of his phenomenal
success in defending personal injury
cases brought against Chicago. Mr.
Kies is well-known in Janesville, be-
ing a classmate of John L. Fisher of
this city. He has visited here sever-
al times during his college career
and since going to Chicago.

Born on Minnesota Farm
Mr. Kies was born on a farm at
Mapleton, Minn. His family moved
to Oshkosh when he was young. His
grammar and high school education
was received there. When 14 years
old Mr. Kies was left an orphan. He
secured employment in clerical and
advertising positions to fill in the
time when he was not in school. For
two years he taught school in Graf-
ton, Wis. He entered the University
of Wisconsin in 1896, and soon be-
came known as one of the brightest
students of the school. He complet-

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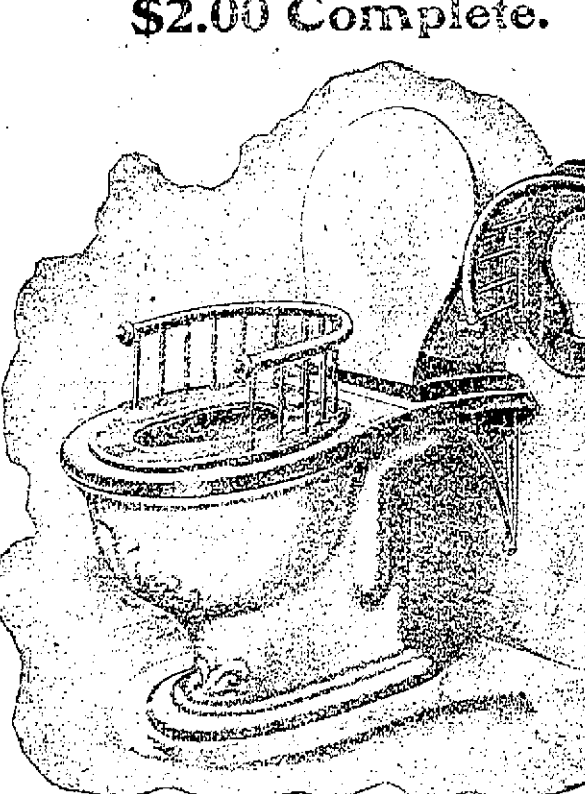
ed the four-year literary course in
three years, graduating with the de-
gree of B. L. with the class of 1899.
Without pausing he attacked the
three-year course in the university
law school, completing it in two
years and winning the degree of LL.
B.

Enters City Attorney's Office
Mr. Kies went to Chicago four
years ago. For a short time he en-
gaged in law practice for himself.
Then he entered the legal department
of the Chicago City Railway com-
pany. Two years ago Mr. Kies en-
tered the office of City Attorney Smu-
lski of Chicago, and speedily became
the most valuable aid that the city
attorney had. Mr. Kies won nine-
tenths of the cases which he defend-
ed for the city. In the 100 cases which
he has tried in two years he suc-
ceeded in limiting the aggregate dam-
ages to the city to \$25,000 in judg-
ments. City Attorney Smulski de-
clares that this is probably the best
record that any assistant ever made.
Mr. Kies has been active in politics
in Chicago. He made more than thirty
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in the last campaign.

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OF LAWLESSNESS AMONG CHILDREN

SEVERAL PROMINENT MEN EX-
PRESS OPINIONS.

SAY TENDENCY IS GROWING

Judge Dunwiddie Tells of Evils of
Street—Superintendent
Buell Talks.

Is depravity among children on the increase in Janesville? Certain of the speakers at the Social Union club meeting last evening expressed themselves as unable to arrive at any other conclusion from the evidence presented them day by day. Supt. Buell of the public schools started the discussion but taking exception to the "less government the better" principle that had been enunciated except when applied along certain broad lines. He said that the question of what the city owes its boys in the enforcement of law had become a vital one. There was a tendency among them to throw off all restraint and increasing evidence of the chicanery of children was offered in the newspapers. Instances of thefts and hold-ups and other lawlessness seemed to be multiplying and he traced the growth of crime directly to the disregard of the laws relating to the sale of liquor and cigarettes to minors. Public sentiment, he believed, was ready for action that would lead to a rigid enforcement of the laws relating to the child.

Judge Dunwiddie's opinion "Twenty-five years hence," said Judge Dunwiddie, "the status of Janesville will depend wholly on the character of its citizenship and twenty years hence those questions which we are considering will be discussed, if at all, by the boys now in our schools. The thing of which Mr. Buell has spoken impresses me profoundly. One needs but to go down town any evening to encounter groups of boys smoking cigarettes, to see and hear everything vile and loathed. The future manhood and womanhood of every boy and girl is determined between the ages of 12 and 18. I don't care what home he comes from, if he spends his evenings on the streets from dark until nine o'clock, that boy never can amount to anything. The evil influences are too strong. Those years are the formative ones. If the boy is lured over them he is alright. My heart is pained every time I go down town at what I see. The future of the city is wrapped up in those boys—their welfare, happiness, and prosperity all depend on the protection we throw up about them. A fruitful opportunity ending our ways with the boys if the streets is offered us."

Is Curfew Wanted?
A. E. Matheson called attention to the fact that the school board and teachers had conducted a vigorous crusade for the enforcement of the cigarette law and had accomplished much. Judge Dunwiddie—"They can't counteract the street influences."
O. A. Oestreich—"What would you do about it?"
Judge Dunwiddie—"I wouldn't have them on the streets."
Mr. Oestreich—"Then you favor a curfew law?"
Judge Dunwiddie—"Well, something like it. If I'm right, a boy can learn more that's wrong in a half hour after dark than in a whole day."

Several Suggestions
Rev. Vaughan said that club-work for boys, skillfully conducted, was expected to utilize the gang spirit and do immeasurable good in counteracting present evils. In examining applicants for an office-boy's position recently, George S. Parker had been astonished at the number who had admitted the use of cigarettes. He thought that if boys could be made to understand how they are handicapped by such habits it would do much to alleviate the evil. P. H. Korst alluded to the practical steps along the boys' club idea taken by George McKee who had fitted up his barn for the occupancy of a flourishing boys' club. J. A. Craig regarded it as the duty of every man to interest himself in the boys and to meet and give counsel where it is needed, even if it is regarded with jeers. The measure, police force was too small to keep boys off the streets but the business men had it in their power to raise the morality of the community. Few boys would go further than their fathers or the examples around them. F. F. Lewis thought the Y. M. C. A. could reach out and help the boys if the fathers would set the example by taking an active interest in the work, and talking about it in the homes. F. A. Taylor said that fifteen or twenty children ready for mischief might be found any evening at the corner of Racine and Main streets. W. J. Cannon said that the influences with which his hearers might surround their boys would reach one-third of the youthful population. While he did not wish to depreciate the Y. M. C. A., he knew from experience that it could not reach the boys who had had no bringing up and for whom the parents had no consideration. He could look out of his back window any day and see fifty boys gaining access to four places which he contended were doing much to lower the standards of the community.

Preaches Tonight: Rev. Mrs. M. J. Jewett, who for several years has been engaged in city missionary work in Chicago, and recently pastor of Free Baptist church at South Wayne, will preach at the Mary Kimball mission this evening: topic—"The Simplicity of the Gospel." Mrs. Jewett is no stranger to Janesville people, having upon several occasions visited the mission and at one time spent several weeks doing earnest work in the city. Those who have heard her upon other occasions will be pleased to listen to her again. A cordial invitation is extended to all. The meeting will be at the parsonage: room enough for all.

A Wintry Day.

These winds that make the bonded forests moan.
Like the tempests of man's heart
How they sweep the storms that shake
Yet feeble seem the storms that shake
When o'er man's soul sweeps Passion's
Violence.

Temperature last 24 hours taken from U. S. register: 1 thermometer at Heinmeyer's drug store, highest, m., 63 above; lowest, 47 above; at 7 a. m., 38 above; at 3 p. m., 62 above; sunshine, pleasant.

FUTURE EVENTS

Creator and his Italian band at Myers theatre, Thursday evening, April 13.
Vaudeville tonight at West Side theatre.
Annual medal rhetorical contest at high school auditorium Friday evening, April 14.
Second public entertainment to be given at Assembly hall by Women's Union Label league, Friday evening, April 14.
Howe's moving pictures at the Myers theatre afternoon and evening of Sunday, April 15.
Umbrella club dance, Monday evening, April 24.

LODGE MEETINGS TONIGHT

Wisconsin Lodge No. 14, I. O. O. F., at East Side Odd Fellows' hall, Janesville Chapter No. 69, O. E. S., at Masonic hall.
Crystal Camp No. 132, R. N. A., at Modern Woodmen hall.
Trades' Council at Assembly hall.

LATE LOCAL NEWS IN BRIEF

The King's Daughters of the Baptist church will meet in the church parlors Thursday at 2 o'clock.
Have you used Trymex washing powder? It does the work.
New wall-papers at Skelly's.
Dyne's delicious chocolates. Buy them at Irwin's.
For Sale—Lot No. 8 Fairview addition of Janesville. Will sell very cheap if taken this spring. Address Catherine Shepard, Rockford, Iowa.
Grand opening at F. S. Luebke's, 58 South River street, across from the West Side theatre, tonight: Baldwin & Reichel's orchestra; roast pig lunch. Everybody cordially invited.
The mid-week meeting of First Church of Christ Scientist will be held this evening.
The regular meeting nights of Carroll Council No. 596, Knights of Columbus, have been changed from the first and third to the second and fourth Thursdays. The order meets in West Side Odd Fellows' hall.
The missionary societies of the First Congregational church will meet at the church parlors at 3 p. m. Thursday afternoon to hear the report from the state meeting of the W. B. M. I. held at Fort Atkinson. Tea will be served.

PAUL S. REINSCH IS A DEEP STUDENT

Knows About the Situation in Russia Through Careful Correspondence
Madison, Wis.—Dr. Paul S. Reinsch, professor of political science in the University of Wisconsin and a deep student of the far eastern situation, has private communications with the educated classes of various cities in Russia and he declares that through these sources he has learned that the universities and in general the more intelligent non-official people of the czar's empire are praying devoutly for the defeat of the Russians on land and sea. He declares that the thinking people of Russia recognize that there is no hope of overthrowing the ruling bureaucracy so long as there is any chance of Russia winning or of maintaining the conflict. The information of Dr. Reinsch is to the effect that the department of the interior is the ruling force in the Russian government and that the czar is kept in constant fear by the leaders in this department, who manufacture supposed plots of assassination and discover them so as to make the emperor think his life is in constant danger. Dr. Reinsch gives occasional lectures in which he presents the information he receives through his private sources. This information is extremely adverse to the czar.

GRADED SCHOOL TEACHERS WILL ASK FOR RAISE

Consider Wages Paid Too Small for the Amount and Nature of Work Done.
Again the once much mooted question of the low wages paid teachers in the graded schools has been brought up and is being discussed among the instructors themselves. It is very probable and almost beyond doubt that a number, including several school principals, will make a concerted request of the board of education for a raise. Instructors in the grades receive between \$333 and \$470 a year. They are paid for but nine and a half months in the year and receive no compensation whatever for any vacation, including the Christmas and Easter intermissions. The first year a teacher is given \$35 a month; the second year \$38 may be paid; in the third year of instructing it is possible that the wages are \$40 a month; in the fourth \$42 and the fifth \$45. The eight grade teachers all receive \$50 a month but all have served for years in the Janesville schools and are experienced veterans in the teaching corps. The principals receive a dollar a month extra for each grade under their supervision. These wages the pedagogues consider altogether too low for the amount of work done and for the experience and education that is required. The question will probably be brought before the school board by the teachers themselves.

NEW RESIDENCE

Mrs. R. L. Colvin is going to build a large and modern house on the corner of Wisconsin and North First streets, which when completed will be one of the fine houses which beautify this section of the city. Contractor Edward Deane has the contract and his reputation as a fine residence builder cannot be questioned, as he has built many of the fine residences of this city. The residence when completed will cost in the neighborhood of five thousand dollars.

LONG SESSION OF CONVENTION

ROYAL NEIGHBORS HELD FORTH
UNTIL 10:30 O'CLOCK.
MRS. CHILDS IS REELECTED
Next State Camp Will Be Held in Milwaukee in 1907—Delegates and Officers Chosen.

After a long and fiery secret session, which lasted from two o'clock in the afternoon until half-past ten at night, the biennial state camp of the Royal Neighbors completed their work here yesterday. Three state officers were elected and thirteen delegates chosen by ballot. There were several fights for seats in the delegation. The most interesting and closest race was in the fourth district between Mrs. Viola Newman and Mrs. Lucy Fennel, both of Milwaukee. Mrs. Newman was successful.

AGAIN STATE ORACLE

Mrs. Childs of Hanover, who held the office of state oracle and conducted the convention here, was again elected to that position unanimously. Mrs. Childs was given a delegateship, was selected vice oracle of the state camp and Mrs. Sullivan of Madison, recorder-receiver.

THE DELEGATES

The following were elected delegates and alternates to the national camp at Topeka, Kansas, in June: FIRST DISTRICT
Delegate—Mrs. Alice Mason, Janesville; alternate—Mrs. Rose Anderson, Beloit.
Delegate—Mrs. Ella Rice, Shonover; alternate—Mrs. Jane Purinton, Evansville.
SECOND DISTRICT
Delegate—Mrs. Mary Neinaber, Madison; alternate—Mrs. Alice Kingston, Madison.
THIRD DISTRICT
Delegate—Mrs. Bertha Bossard, Spring Green; alternate—Mrs. Kate Heit, Richland Center.
Delegate—Mrs. Alice Salloway, Lanesville; alternate—Jennie Lewis, Patch Grove.
FIFTH, SIXTH AND SEVENTH DISTRICTS
Delegate—Mrs. Elia Jones, Black River Falls; alternate—Mrs. Mary Cowles, Alma Center.
Delegate—Mrs. Viola Newman, Milwaukee; alternate—Mrs. Margaret Ohms, South Milwaukee.
Delegate—Mrs. Pauline Walker, La Crosse; alternate—Mrs. Lizzie Kirmse, West Salem.
EIGHTH DISTRICT
Delegate—Mrs. Carrie Jaquith, Waupaca; alternate—Mrs. Nettie Ogden, Iowa.
NINTH AND TENTH DISTRICTS
Delegate—Mrs. Louise Kanter, Marinette; alternate—Mrs. Emily Schell, Rhineland.
Delegate—Lucy Huetter, Appleton; alternate—Jennie Burgoine, Seymour.
ELEVENTH DISTRICT
Delegate—Mrs. Helen Kurth, Hayward; alternate—Effie Lowalter, Spring Valley.
Delegate—Mrs. Agnes Webster, Superior; alternate—Mrs. Murtagh, Superior.
At the close of the session last evening a banquet was spread and served. This was greatly appreciated by the delegates, no adjournment having been made at supper time.

RETURN FROM LONG TRIP IN SOUTHWEST

Levi B. Carle and Daughter Arrived Home Last Evening From California.
Mr. Levi Carle and Miss Carle returned last evening from an extended trip through the great southwestern regions of the North American continent. Sailing from New Orleans in company with Dr. and Mrs. Palmer, Mr. and Miss Carle spent some time in Panama and Colon in the new republic of Panama. Owing to an epidemic of yellow fever at Colon they were unable to take a trip to Jamaica as planned and so returned to New Orleans and from this city went to San Antonio and Monterey and thence to the City of Mexico. They came north over the Mexican Central to El Paso, Texas, where they remained for some time and then went to California, spending five weeks in Los Angeles and the last week before starting home in San Francisco. They arrived home last evening at seven after a most enjoyable three months' trip.

MORTUARY RECORD

Mrs. Mary Hodgins
The remains of the late Mrs. Mary Hodgins were brought here from Des Plaines, Ill. yesterday and taken to the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Steed, 8 Peace court. Funeral services were held from St. Mary's church this morning at nine o'clock. Rev. Father Goebel officiating. The pallbearers were Charles Mahoney of Des Plaines, J. W. Hayes of Chicago, Charles Knoff, H. Keating, E. Gillis and Charles Roeliger. Burial was in Mount Olivet cemetery. Those from out of the city who were here to attend the services were J. W. Hodgins, Mason City, Iowa; Mr. and Mrs. George Hodgins, Des Plaines; Miss Maud Du Shane, Des Plaines; Mrs. Harry Judge, Chicago; Harry, May and Mrs. Connors, Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McMahon, Chicago; J. W. Hayes, Chicago, and Charles Mahoney, Des Plaines.

Nellie Elizabeth Selgren

Nellie Elizabeth Selgren, the fifteen-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Neils Selgren died this morning shortly after three o'clock at the home of her parents, 455 South High street. The cause of her demise was heart trouble. There are left besides a father and mother a sister, the loss, two brothers and a sister. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at two o'clock from the home, Rev. W. P. Christy officiating. Interment will be in Oak Hill.

KICKERS' KOLUM

World Grown Worse.
Editors Gazette: There is a tendency among those of the younger generation to talk and think lightly of those who say that the world is not growing better. In the way of proof to show that it is growing worse, particularly in the sport in which Janesville is located, I will point out a few facts regarding the liquor traffic and politics. In the Gazette's "Forty Years Ago" department last Tuesday appeared a proclamation from Mayor Mitchell commanding all saloons to close tightly on election day. The mayor was a candidate for re-election and if you noticed the results in the Forty Years Ago a few days later he was again chosen to the highest of city offices. This year political candidates in many instances courted the friendship of the saloons and little was said about enforcing the laws. What candidate would have dared to issue a proclamation this year? "OLD TIMER."

WON A DINNER ON THE QUICK SERVICE

Attorney Bates of Beloit, Proves the Efficiency of Beloit's New Police Signals Service.
The Beloit Free Press prints the following article to illustrate the efficiency of their new police signal service:
"Confidence in the Beloit police department and the new system of signal lights won a fine supper for Atty. J. W. Bates last night from Chief John Comstock of Janesville. Bates was in the county seat and was telling the chief of that city about the new system of police signals just installed when that officer said carelessly that he did not believe that the red lights would do much good.
"But you the best dinner in town that I can go to the nearest telephone from here and get a Beloit officer on the wire within ten minutes. As it was after 9 o'clock, Chief Comstock thought that this was a good proposition, so he accepted it.
"Bates went in to the nearest telephone and called for Beloit. Fortunately he was connected without delay. He asked for the police department and when the connection was made with the office last night the red lights at the three corners immediately shone bright. It also happened that Chief Scheibel and Officer Qualman were both at the C. M. & St. P. station on some special business and the chief looked up the street and saw the red glimmer. He went inside the depot and called up his office, which gave him the connection with Bates in Janesville.
"Bates made sure who he was talking to and then he asked Comstock to step to the receiver and be proved to him that the night signal lights were a great thing. It had been just two minutes and twenty seconds from the time the wager was made until Comstock said 'hello' to Scheibel. Bates had a great feast at 'Corrie' McDonald's and brought a big black cigar down for the chief who was responsible for the local signal system—and therefore the supper.
"The trial proves the efficacy of the system which is now in working order. If an officer is wanted, it is not necessary to start out on a hunt for one, but simply to call up the central police quarters which will turn on the red lights, a signal which all officers of the city are expected to answer."

NEWS OF A PERSONAL NATURE

Mrs. Alice Moon and Mrs. T. A. Klugman of Brodhead were in the city yesterday to attend the R. N. A. convention and were the guests of Mrs. A. J. Miller of Riverview park. Attorney T. S. Nolan was a Monroe visitor yesterday.
Mr. and Mrs. Horatio Nelson are the happy parents of a baby girl, born this morning.
Richard Morris is sick at his home, 54 Highland avenue.
Mrs. Charles N. Kelly of Monroe was a Janesville visitor yesterday.
Mr. Osborn of Idaho left last evening for his home after a visit with his son, J. C. Osborn, in this city. Mr. Osborn is eighty-one years of age and has traveled through a number of western states during the last few months visiting all his sons and daughters.
Mrs. Willis Ludlow of Monroe visited in the city Monday.
Henry Richter will leave Friday for his home in Markesan, Wis., after several days' visit here.

NOTICE, Ho-Ye Beet Growers

Thursday evening, April 13, there will be a beet growers' meeting at Grange hall in the town of Janesville. It is necessary that you all be present. By order of Grange Spur association, L. J. Noxy.

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A ROSE OF NORMANDY

By WILLIAM R. A. WILSON

The battle raged furiously for the possession of the gate. Already had the ladders, climbing devils, gained the top of the path. The situation was desperate. The young man de Boisronnet approached the gate from the left. "Tell me the gate is gained and forced we will make a last stand just within the gate. We can do nothing if these devils once really enter the yard."

The young man saluted and then in a hesitating voice, said: "M. le Capitaine will be offended if a subordinate makes a suggestion? It is only our last extremity that leads me to speak."

"Non, capitaine," replied Tonti. "Speak up, let us know what you have in mind."

"You will remember some time ago you placed in my care the work of excavating a magazine in which to store our powder."

"Yes."

"Well, as the Capitaine left the entire task to me, the choice of situation as well as the oversight of the excavation."

"Go on," said Tonti impatiently, as the yells of the savages rose louder than before, indicating that an advance had been made.

"I thought it might be a good plan sometime to have a mine laid ready to be exploded."

"So you—"

"I made the excavation so that it would lie just beneath the outside path some four feet from the top."

"Sanguine fellow!" cried Tonti joyously, as the yells of the young man flashed into his ears. "We are saved. You mean to blow the magazine beneath their very feet and make an opening in the path we can never cross?"

"That was my thought," replied the young man modestly, flushing with pleasure as he saw his leader approved it. "The powder has not been stored there yet, but it will be in a very few moments."

"Take them with you," ordered Tonti, "and half of all our stock of powder in this new magazine, and arrange so that it can be exploded on a given signal."

"In 20 minutes shall be ready," replied the young man hastened away to carry out the command.

"Hold out half an hour longer and we shall blow these devils to perdition," shouted Tonti in the ears of the line of men retreating to the rear. The light of the burning building was seen, and they fled at a rapid pace, Tonti shouting to the young man de Boisronnet to take command of his return. More gilets than his friend, nervous to action, the fear in his heart for Rene's safety, he gained the other side of the first fort. By the light of the blazing building he beheld his enemy ascending the platform bearing in his arms the form of his beloved. With a cry he sprang after him. Miron heard his voice, and, having gained the top of the fort, he saw Tonti felt for his pistol that he had placed in his belt but found that it had dropped but in his hasty progress. Nothing daunted, without a weapon, he rushed to the little ladder and grappled with his enemy. Miron dropped Rene to the platform and received Tonti with a smile of savage

joy, brandishing his knife. Tonti struck the arm holding the weapon a furious blow with his iron hand, to force him to drop it, and seized his throat with the other.

Miron still retained his knife and Tonti by the fast increasing light saw the blade descend, and felt as it were a red-hot iron plunged into his shoulder. Again it fell, this time into his back. A blackness fell suddenly before his eyes. His hold upon the throat of his adversary loosened, a roaring filled his ears, followed by a great explosion which seemed to shake the platform on which they stood, and he fell back and knew no more.

Miron did not stop, but throwing his knife aside, stooped down and gathered Rene, who called loudly for help, within his arms again. He approached the palisade and had already made preparations for his descent when he saw Pompon appear upon the rampart. With an oath he drew back, and putting Rene down once more, made ready to receive this new attack.

Neither of the men had a weapon, but each sprang at the other's throat like some ferocious animal; they clinched and struggled to and fro; neither was able to throttle the other, so evenly was their strength matched. Rene, with streaming hair and terror-stricken eyes, dragged himself towards the motionless form of Tonti out of the way of the combatants, who swayed from side to side in their desperate efforts. Now Miron has the advantage as he strives to trip his adversary; but Pompon, quick and agile, recovers his footing, and the struggle is renewed on equal terms. Backward they rush, and Miron barely saves himself from falling from the platform into the yard of the fort by a desperate wrench. They turn and twist and turn again. The rough planks beneath their feet creak under their tread; the whole structure vibrates with the violence of the fight.

At length Pompon's strength began to fail, and he felt the grip on his throat tighten, while his own slowly relaxed. They were alone; the din of battle, the shouts of the French, and the war-cries of the Indians, reached his ears from the other side of the fort. There was no aid near. He could not maintain the struggle longer. He glanced at Rene, crouching helpless and terrified beside his wounded friend, and a look of high resolve came into his eyes that made his ugly scarred countenance glow with the beauty of a noble purpose, a look his antagonist saw and dreaded. Rene met his glance and understood. With the cry, "Adieu, mon Capitaine!" he forced his foe back by one supreme effort. Another step toward the outer edge is made, and a grim smile of satisfaction appears upon his face. One more—Miron's foot slipped in a pool of Tonti's blood; he strove desperately to regain his balance and failed; and the two men locked fast in a savage embrace swayed to and fro an instant, then plunged headlong over the edge of the palisade, and fell, down, down, through the blackness of the night, and disappeared beneath the dark surface of the swiftly moving stream at the foot of the cliff.

CHAPTER XXVII.

THE END IS REACHED, AND TONTI COMES INTO HIS OWN.

Week after week of suffering followed for Tonti. The desperate nature of his wounds sent the fever mounting to his brain, and he tossed wearily about, fighting against numberless foes, living over again many of the events through which he had passed during the last two years. In all his battles did the lowering sinister face of Miron appear; through all the scenes did the form of Rene flit, ever with her eyes fixed upon him, at times glad and laughing, now sad and reproachful, and again with the love-light born of a deep and noble passion shining through them. At times the figure of La Salle approached and looked reprovingly at him. Then did Tonti break forth in his own defense. "Ah! mon ami," he would murmur, "did you but know the task your friendship imposed; did you but realize the heavy load your confession of your love for Rene, laid upon me, you would not hold me worthy of reproach. Could you but have seen my struggle, daily, hourly, to trample down the love that had sprung into existence at the same time as your own, to maintain the honor of my word, to uphold that faithfulness to you that I knew was the only thing I had to offer to her memory, you would have pitied me."

Again his other friend stood beside him and he appealed to him: "Mon cher Pompon," he cried, "you know the temptation I was subject to. You must know, for you were with us; you heard with me the music in her voice, more delightful than the harmonies of many birds. You heard her stop, blither than the soft summer wind blowing over the Sicilian fields. You saw the warmth in her cheek, how it was ruddier than the distant glow of Vesuvius against the sky at night. You felt the grace and charm of her presence, pure as that of an angel fresh from the throne of God, sweet as the memory of childish days, when one fell asleep with the melody of a mother's voice soothing one's ears. Yes, you know it all, for you were there. You know I triumphed, but at what a cost: to have one's heart's blood squeezed out drop by drop, and yet unable to do aught but smile at each fresh pain."

At times he fancied himself ill and in great anguish. Then would the

figure of Rene, robed as she had been while waiting upon the sick, come and put to his lips a refreshing draught or lay her soothing hand upon his feverish head. At the touch a delicious feeling of coolness suffused itself throughout his frame, and peace and restfulness would come. By and by he would dream he awakened and saw Rene sitting near, with his hand resting lightly in her palm. He knew it was but a dream and did not stir lest it should vanish and be replaced by one less pleasing. Once the figure leaned over him and touched his forehead with her lips. One day as he lay still watching the dream-figure beside him, his vision cleared and he knew he was awake. He flushed lightly and withdrew his hand, and Rene realized that her patient had regained consciousness.

He soon slept, this time not to dream, but to gather strength. Thus did he sleep and awaken day by day. Each awakening, thanks to the effect of the ointment Rene had found in Pompon's bag, brought a feeling of renewed vigor and a sharper bound to his pulse that sent the life stream quickening to every part. Whenever he roused himself he saw the same patient figure of her whom he loved, watching, praying beside him. She would not let him talk, but ere long admitted the chevalier and Boisronnet. Their hearty clasp of the hand and cheering words urged on his convalescence. They told him little by little of the events of that awful night. How, after his leaving the gate, the Indians had advanced along the path with a rush, and Boisronnet had, on his own responsibility, fired the mine, which sound had been the last his ears had heard when he sank beneath the murderous hand of Miron. How the chasm formed by this explosion had prevented any further attack upon the fort. How Baugis had finally rallied his forces, and, approaching the Indians from the rear, had made a strong onslaught, just as they recoiled from the exploded mine, and slaughtered many, driving some into the river and putting the rest to flight, pursuing them for eight days, until the hosts that had assailed so boldly were reduced to a few struggling bands that slunk despairingly homeward. In answer to an inquiring look they told him that Miron was dead and that Pompon had gone on a journey.

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Clarksburg, W. Va., April 12.—The home of George T. Maull was entirely destroyed by fire and four of his children burned to death. The parents, with a fifth child, had barely time to escape.

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Bombay, April 12.—News reached here that an earthquake had destroyed Fort Bilboa. Ayimrool, the Khan, his uncle, five cousins, and twenty-eight others were buried in the ruins.

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Rheumatism never comes by accident. It is in the blood and system before a pain is felt. Some inherit a strong predisposition or tendency; it is born in them; but whether heredity is back of it or it comes from imprudent and careless ways of living, it is the same all ways and at all seasons. The real cause of Rheumatism is a polluted, sour and acid condition of the blood, and as it flows through the body deposits a gritty, irritating substance or sediment in the muscles, joints and nerves, and it is these that produce the terrible pains, inflammation and swelling and the misery and torture of Rheumatism. No other disease causes such pain, such wide-spread suffering. It deforms and cripples its thousands, leaving them helpless invalids and nervous wrecks.

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AMERICA GETS WORLD'S SCUM

PROPER TIME FOR INSPECTION

Immigrants From Abroad Should Be Examined Before They Leave Their Native Heath and Not After Arrival in This Country.

Cleveland, Ohio, April 12.—Commander Booth Tucker, who in company with H. Rider Haggard, the author, is making an inspection trip of the social work done by the Salvation army in several parts of the United States, outlined the plan of the Salvation army to relieve congestion in population in London by sending the people to Canada and other English colonies. Commander Booth Tucker said:

"Last year the Salvation army carried 1,000 persons from England to Canada, which is starving for population. We carried them in our own ship. It will not be long before we will be carrying Englishmen not by thousands, but by tens of thousands, not only to Canada, but to New Zealand, Australia, India and South Africa.

Immigrants Where Needed.

"We did not dump our immigrants in Quebec, as the United States immigrants in Ellis Island, but dropped six here and eight there and a dozen in another place, wherever they were needed.

"Every man who left England for Canada knew before he started where he was going, what he was going to do when he got there, and what wages he would receive.

"The United States should revise its immigration laws. Through its consuls and other representatives immigrants should be investigated before they start, and not after they have landed at New York. Then you could get the cream of Europe, the yeomanry, the healthy, sturdy stock, and not the scum, the ne'er do wells. The Salvation army would like to cooperate with the United States government in a work of this kind. Then colonization could be made the handmaid of immigration.

Englishmen Are Deteriorating.

"In England," Booth Tucker continued, "the people are crowding into London and other large cities. The farm hand is now a cockney. The effect of this crowding was apparent at the time of the Boer war. The Englishman has lost his health, his

buoyancy and his grit. He is not the man he was.

"England has to draw on her colonies for good fighting material. The London police force, the finest body of men physically in the world, is recruited from the farms. Healthy men are at a premium. By and by there will be no fighting men left if something is not done."

"The only way to rejuvenate the race is to divert immigration away from the cities and toward the colonies: to take the sick men of London to the colonies and make farmers of them."

LOBSTERS FAST PASSING AWAY
Massachusetts Commission Reports They Will Soon Vanish as Food.

Boston, Mass., April 12.—The outlook respecting the lobster fishery is made the subject of complaint and warning by the state board of fish and game commissioners in its annual report, which was submitted to the legislature. "If the statistics of the lobster fishery gathered by this commission," the board says, "gave any encouragement of an increase of abundance this would be cause for satisfaction. Unfortunately, however, the contrary is true, for the figures show conclusively the same decadence of supply that has characterized the lobster fishery for many years. The outcome, the commercial extinction of the lobster, is as sure to result as day is to follow night."

Publisher Asks \$9,000.

St. Louis, Mo., April 12.—The Official Photograph company of the Louisiana Purchase exposition, of which Congressman Lorimer of Chicago is a leading stockholder, has been sued by a publisher, who claims \$9,000.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEVITIES.

The new American consul general to London, Robert J. Wynne, assumed the duties of that office.

A resolution will be offered in the Tennessee senate asking the consent of congress to create a new state of east Tennessee.

John McDonald attempted suicide by hanging himself in the barn near his home in Washington, Ind., but as he swung himself into space the rope broke.

The ceremonies inaugurating Rolla Wells into office for his second term as mayor of St. Louis were held at a joint meeting of the municipal assembly.

Mrs. Katherine Keeler of Madison has decided to build a costly residence at Los Angeles.

GREAT FACTOR IN RAIL RATES

COMPETITION IS WIPED OUT

Agreements With Ocean Lines Affect Freight Charges on Transcontinental Railroads in United States, According to Mr. Bristow's Report.

Washington, April 12.—The executive part of the government of the United States soon will be making transcontinental railroad rates for the big railroads without waiting for congress to grant authority to the interstate commerce commission to do so. James L. Bristow, formerly fourth assistant postmaster general, who has been inquiring into the subject of freight rates via the Panama railway, has made a preliminary report to Secretary Taft which brings the matter of rate making directly before the government.

Mr. Bristow, who was sent South two months ago, found that there is such an intimate relation between the rates made by the Panama Railroad company and the steamship lines which it owns, or with which it has contract relations, that changes in its rates have such an effect upon the rates of the transcontinental railroads that they may be said to be a controlling factor in matters relating to rates between the Atlantic and Pacific coasts of the United States.

Pacific Shipping Trust.

Another fact discovered by Mr. Bristow which he communicated to Mr. Taft is that there is a shipping trust on the Pacific coast that is in as fine working order as the Standard Oil. The members of the trust are the Pacific Mail Steamship company, the Chilean Steamship company and the Pacific Steam Navigation company. The latter is a British corporation. This shipping trust, Mr. Bristow found, maintains identical rates to all competitive points, and they are uniformly high.

At present the railroad company practically excludes all freight from the privileges of railroad transit across the isthmus not carried by the Pacific Mail and its allies on the Pacific and by the steamers on the Atlantic owned by the railroad company.

Have Exclusive Rates.

Mr. Bristow found that if the railroad is opened to the free use of all steamers that may touch at Panama or Colon, rates on all traffic will probably be materially affected. Rates on the railroad have been cut since the government obtained control, but the cut has not affected rates in the United States, for the reason that the exclusive arrangements with the steamship companies are still in existence. These facts put the question of rates squarely before the executive branch of the government. Notice has been given to the Pacific Mail that its contract will not be renewed a few months hence.

Seeks to Secure Monopoly.

The company has already proposed a new arrangement, that is new in appearance, but which if entered into will continue the monopoly. Its proposition is that the Panama Railroad company limit its through rate business to vessels of American register. As it is the only American line in that grade, the contract would not change the present status until such time as another American line could be established.

While secretary Taft has not come to a conclusion, his inclination is to favor having the Panama railroad treat all shippers and all steamers alike.

The want ads are always busy.



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Build Up Your System!

Neglect and carelessness are the general causes of all disease.

People never become dangerously sick until after nature has given them many warnings.

The great mistake is not paying attention to these warnings.

When you feel "run down," "used up," "nervous," tired most of the time—it means that something is wrong and nature is warning you.

You need more nerve force to build up your system.

Strengthen your nerves, increase your nerve force and your health will take care of itself.

Science with its unerring methods of research has proved that the various organs and tissues of the body continue in health and perform their work properly as long as their nerve supply retains its vigor and strength.

But if the nerves degenerate or lose power from poor nourishment or any other cause, the entire physiological mechanism of the body is thrown out of gear and we have as a result some "run-down" condition or disease.

The heart, the stomach, the liver, all have their great nerve centres which supply them with the power to work properly. When these nerve centres are weakened these important organs cannot act properly.

"For five years I was in very bad health and the doctors and medicine failed to help me, until I became seriously ill, and then I began using Paine's Celery Compound. I derived great benefit from it at once. I commenced to gain in weight and gained thirty-nine pounds in three months. It gave me great strength and built up my entire system. I have recommended it to some of my friends and it did them a great deal of good."—O. M. Pearson, Seattle, Wash.

Prof. Phelps, of Dartmouth University, was the first physician to enunciate the principle which today is recognized as one of the foundations of the science of medicine—the great enlightening truth, that the nerve system rules all the body's health.

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STRIKERS SLAY TWO MINERS

Two Men Killed and Many Hurt in Riot at Hibbing, Minn.

Duluth, Minn., April 12.—Two miners, Elias Haskinson and John Eck Dahl, were killed and several seriously injured by a gang of strikers in a riot which occurred at the Hull-Rust mine at Hibbing, Minn. The men were employed by the Oliver Mining Company. Sheriff Bates, accompanied by two scores of armed deputies, left on a special train over the Duluth, Missabe & Northern for Hibbing to quell the riot, which, according to a report, has broken out among the miners in a number of other mines. The authorities there wired that the presence of a strong guard was absolutely necessary in order to prevent further violence.

POUR TINNERS' ACID ON VICTIM

Union Men Are Suspected of Brutal Assault Upon Workman.

Elgin, Ill., April 12.—Striking tinnermen are believed by the police to be responsible for an assault upon W. H. Price, a nonunion man. His body was burned by acid and he was unconscious when found. He had failed to see his two assailants until they were within a few feet of him. He kept them at bay until he had secured telephone connection with his employer, when he was knocked senseless. The police found Price tied hand and foot. Several jars of tinner's acid had been poured upon his limbs, and had eaten deep into the flesh.

FALLING TROWEL INJURES MAN

J. P. Prindle of Batavia Is Injured While Visiting in Chicago.

Aurora, Ill., April 12.—J. P. Prindle, general superintendent of the Newton Morgan company at Batavia, while

visiting in Chicago, was struck on the head by a trowel which fell from the eighth floor of a new building which Mr. Prindle was passing at the time. The trowel inflicted a deep cut and Mr. Prindle narrowly escaped death.

Explosion Kills Two Italians.

Torreon, Mexico, April 12.—An explosion of nitroglycerin in a dynamite factory near this city resulted in the death of two persons and the serious injury of three others. All were Italians. The factory was destroyed.

Spanish Drought Is Broken.

Madrid, April 12.—The drought has been broken in Andalusia. Abundant rains have fallen throughout the Andalusian provinces and there is great jubilation among all classes as a result of the improved outlook.

English Honor Choate.

London, April 12.—Ambassador Choate has been elected "master of the bench of the middle temple," an act which makes him a member of the English bar and gives him the distinction of being the first American so honored.

Alleged Bank Robber Is Killed.

Joplin, Mo., April 12.—In a pitched battle at Carl Junction between City Marshal Weaver and a gang of four alleged bank robbers Arthur Bannon of St. Louis was shot and killed and John Meyers of Joplin was badly injured.

Dog Aids Shoplifter.

Arrested for shoplifting in Paris, a woman was found to have a clever accomplice in a King Charles spaniel, which she carried under her arm, and had trained to snatch up pieces of lace from shop counters.—London Mail.

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